GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3191
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ACQUISITION OF LAND BY RAILWAYS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of acquisition of land for Bargachhia−Champadanga section of Howrah−Amta−Champadanga Broad gauge line under South Eastern Railway;

(b) the total cost of the acquisition of land;

(c) whether the cost of acquisition of land would be borne by the Railways;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a): The land papers for part-length have been filed with State Authorities. The land is yet to be handed over by State Government.

(b): The assessment of total cost of land involved has not been done as the land cost is to be borne by State Government.

(c): No, Sir.

(d): Does not arise.

(e): State Government had committed to provide land free of cost.